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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]
Assistant Legislative Counsel

FROM STATINTL: [REDACTED]
Chief, Management Staff, ODP

SUBJECT : H. R. 6410 and S. 1411 "Paperwork
Legislation"

REFERENCE : Your Memo, Same Subject, dtd 12 Aug. 1980,
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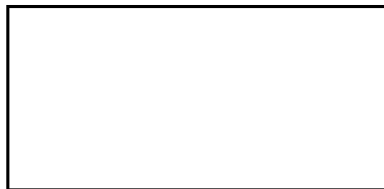
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1. [REDACTED] of the Office of Information Services (OIS) sent the Director of Data Processing a copy of the referent memorandum and the attachments thereto and asked that our comments be sent directly to OLC with a drop copy to OIS. Our comments are in the following paragraphs.

2. S. 1411 was reviewed along with amendments as reported by Senate Governmental Affairs Committee, ADP/ Telecommunications Amendments and other materials. Paragraph 3518 (c) (1) (D), page 58 and 59, stated that the chapter (i.e., Chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code which S. 1411 proposes to amend), did not apply to the collection of information during the conduct of foreign intelligence and counterintelligence activities. If this provision excludes most of the ADP and telecommunications activities of this Agency as we understand it does, then ODP supports the Senate version of the Paperwork Reduction Act (S. 1411).

3. Section 111 of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949, as amended (79 Stat. 1127, 40 U.S.C. 759 1976) is the authority for the Administrator of General Services to coordinate and provide for the purchase, lease, and maintenance of automatic data processing equipment by Federal agencies. An amendment to S. 1411 proposed by Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., WA) would make that section not applicable to agencies with intelligence responsibilities except for equipment and functions within those agencies dedicated to administrative applications, such as finance, personnel, and word processing. The amount of equipment this Agency has that is dedicated to administrative functions is minimal. We would welcome passage of the Jackson amendment.

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